

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SHERMAN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§	
	§	
v.	§	NO. 4:24-CR-00208-ALM-AGD
	§	
GREGORY EUGENE EDWARDS	§	

**REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
OF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

This report and recommendation addresses a petition for revocation of the defendant's supervised release. Dkt. 2 (sealed).

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On January 9, 2023, United States District Judge Sam A. Lindsay sentenced defendant Gregory Eugene Edwards to 30 months of imprisonment followed by two years of supervised release. Dkt. 1-3 at 1-3. Edwards's term of supervised release commenced on August 5, 2024. Dkt. 2 at 1 (sealed).

In October 2024, a probation officer petitioned the court for a warrant, alleging that Edwards had violated two conditions of his supervised release. Dkt. 2 (sealed). The allegations were that Edwards had violated the conditions of supervision that required him to (a) refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance; and (b) work full time in lawful employment, unless excused by the probation officer. Dkt. 2 at 1 (sealed).

In support of those allegations, the petition asserted that, on four occasions in 2024, Edwards submitted urine specimens that tested positive for cocaine. Dkt. 2 at 1 (sealed). The petition also asserted that, since his supervised release began, Edwards has not obtained lawful employment. Dkt. 2 at 1 (sealed).

A final revocation hearing was held before me on January 28, 2025. Minute Entry for Jan. 28, 2025. Edwards pleaded true to the allegations. *Id.* He also consented to revocation of his supervised release and waived his right to object to my proposed findings and recommendations. *Id.*; Dkt. 13. The government requested a sentence of eight months of imprisonment followed by one year of

supervised release, which is within the federal sentencing guidelines; the defendant agreed. After hearing argument from counsel and a statement from Edwards, the court announced what its recommendation would be.

RECOMMENDATION

In accordance with the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984, and having considered both parties' arguments, the court recommends that: (1) Edwards's supervised release be revoked based on allegations one and two in the petition, Dkt. 2 (sealed); (2) Edwards be committed to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a term of eight months, with one year of supervised release to follow, all prior conditions imposed; and (3) Edwards be placed at FCI Seagoville in Seagoville, Texas, if appropriate.

So **ORDERED** and **SIGNED** this 31st day of January, 2025.



Bill Davis
United States Magistrate Judge